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WEDDINGS

HARTLELL - GROVES

A very quiet wedding was solemnized at St. John's Rectory in Calgary Friday, December 31st, at 5.30 p.m., when Margaret, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Groves of Strathmore, became the bride of Telegraphist Jack Hartlell, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hartlell, also of Strathmore, with Rev. L. T. H. Pearson officiating. The only attendants were Mrs. Pearson and Don Hall, R. C. N. V. R., who is home on leave in Calgary.

Jack, who is home on twenty-eight day leave, will go to Halifax on the 5th where he has recently been transferred from Gaspe, Quebec.

Both these young people are well known throughout the district, Jack having attended Cheadle School, and Margaret, Glenclair, with one year in Strathmore High. Their many friends throughout Cheadle, Strathmore, and surrounding districts extend very best wishes for a long and happy married life.

THURSTON - PUTNAM

A quiet wedding was solemnized in Calgary Tuesday, January 4th, at 4 o'clock, when Doris Irene, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Putnam of Nightingale, became the bride of Reginald Frank, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Thurston, pioneer residents of Nightingale.

Rev. L. T. H. Pearson was the officiating clergyman.

Following the marriage ceremony at St. John's Rectory, the young couple, with immediate members of the two families motored to the Mandarin Gardens where the reception was held and buffet luncheon served.

The bride, who is enlisted in the R. C. A. F., will leave January 13th, to continue in her post there and the groom will carry on with his father at the Farm Home.

Both young people are well and favorably known and best wishes are extended them for a happy and prosperous future.

HEALTH NOTICE

The Strathmore Health Board and School are co-operating in endeavoring to get complete records of the Medical history of all School children and pre-School age children in the town and school district. Information concerning diseases contracted and immunizations received is being sought. All parents are asked to help by doing their best to give the information required. The School children will bring home forms to be filled in and returned to the School.

COUPON CALENDAR

Thursday, January 6th. — Sugar Coupons 23, 24; Tea-Coffee Coupons 26, 27; Preserves Coupons, D10, D11; Butter Coupons 44, 45; Meat Coupons 33 Valid.
Thursday, January 13th. — Meat Coupons 34 Valid.
Thursday, January 20th. — Butter Coupons 46, 47; Meat Coupons 35 Valid.
Thursday, January 27th. — Tea-Coffee Coupons 28, 29; Meat Coupons 36 Valid.
Monday, January 31st. — Butter Coupons 42, 43, 44, 45; Meat Coupons 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 Expire.
On and After January 17th, One Meat Coupon equals 1/4 lb. Canned Salmon.

IRRIGATION

A fertile, productive, attractive, healthy countryside or a Dust-Bowl? The contrasting condition rests now in the hands of the men and women farming in this Western Irrigation Block.

Whether you sign up or for how much you sign, with you rests the responsibility.

Let your vision reach to the future. "Without vision the people perish."

Annual Meeting Strathmore Curling Club

Held on December 30th., 1943.

Election of Officers—

Tom Glendinning— President.

H. C. Willson— Sec-Treas.

Mr. E. F. Thurston— Vice Pres.

Executive Committee—

R. A. Brown, C. Mackie, George Anderson, J. W. Freeman, J. Fedewick. It was decided to hold a dance at an early date to be set by the Executive Committee.

Dues were set the same as last year and may be paid in to the new Secretary at any time to avoid the rush. One dollar saving if paid before January 31st.

The Caretaker is now preparing ice and the rink should be ready for action in a few days if the weather remains cold.

CURLING THE ROARIN' GAME

It is upon us again — What is? Why the Season of Curling of course. The Sport that supercedes home and business and ranks first in thought and speech.

You see two men talking very animatedly and it is a safe bet they are planning their rink, or how the other team out played them or vice versa.

In the World of Sport, Curling ranks with the all-absorbing World Series or the Hockey Play-offs.

For the duration of the Bonspiel all else sinks into insignificance. Be prepared for the inevitable.

Strathmore rinks are now making ready.

CLUNY

—By A. E. C.—

We are glad to report that Mrs. W. Gibson, who has been seriously ill in the Holy Cross Hospital is improving.

Among those who were home during the Christmas holidays were— Peggy Somerville, Margaret Beattie, Belle Goldsmith, who is in training at the Holy Cross, Cpl. Catherine Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Nelson and Betty Befus.

Mr. and Mrs. Ally Reilly and young son spent several days in town. They are moving from Calgary to Taber. Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Clark arrived in town from Dawson Creek on Christmas Day.

Mrs. S. Williams entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday.

Mrs. Duncan Clark and Mrs. Allan Clark, Mavis and Stanley were visitors at the Walter James home on Wednesday.

We are glad to report that Mr. Manly, who has been quite poorly for some time, is much improved.

Without water, the country's trees, surface wells, gardens, small lakes, will become a thing of memory only.

Dare you be a party to this condition?

Mr. P. M. Sauder of Edmonton will meet the large committee in Strathmore Wednesday, January 12th. Greet them with a satisfactorily signed-up acreage.

ROCKYFORD

—By K. M. Q.—

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Fuller are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, born Dec. 23rd, at Rockyford. The Holiday Season was a very happy event for the community and every one did their best to make a cheerful background for all away from home. Many hearts were gladdened by the visits home of their relatives in the armed forces as well as other friends and relatives who made the holidays the occasion of a visit.

The New Year's Dance at Rockyford was a decided success with good music and a good crowd. At the lunch intermission a draw was made for a pair of curling rocks and they were won by L. M. Kutterhagen. Both the sponsors of the dance and the local Red Cross who supplied the lunch, were well pleased with the returns for their efforts.

Mr. Jacob Roll of the R. C. N. is spending several weeks with his wife and family here, and also a week with his people at Irvine, Alberta.

Miss Wilma Leggat, who has been supplying at the Canadian Bank of Commerce while Miss Stitt took her holidays, has returned to her former work in the bank at Gleichen.

Owing to the illness of himself and his Mother and Dad, Mr. Wm. Rudd spent an extra week with his folks at the Christmas holiday.

Mr. Wm. Clements is still quite ill in the hospital in Calgary. All friends and neighbors are wishing for him a speedy recovery.

P. O. J. Wallis Gibson spent a week leave in Rockyford, where his wife and three boys are now making their home. He had the pleasure of meeting his youngest son Gordon 2 months old for the first time.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roppel have moved a house off one of their farms into town and will make their home here as soon as the house can be finished. Their son Lawrence will take over the running of the farm.

A wedding of much interest to many friends was solemnized in Calgary recently, when Della Hopps, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hopps of Rockyford, became the bride of Mr. Pat Murphy of the R. C. A. F. Mrs. Murphy is a nurse at the New Belcher Hospital in Calgary and her husband expects to go East shortly.

Miss Ella Mustard is spending a few days in town the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ronald Clark.

The Cluny United Church W. A. held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Bailey on Tuesday.

The regular W. I. Bridge will be held at the Dormitory on Saturday evening.

CHANCELLOR

—By Mrs. J. M. W.—

Dr. Fletcher was called to Mrs. M. Knattuk, who is sick with the flu. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Channey entertained at a turkey dinner on Thursday evening. Many friends from Chancellor and Hussar were there, also Mr. and Mrs. Wagner of Calgary, who stayed over night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wheatley entertained on New Year's eve. After dinner they and their guests attended the dance at Gleichen.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hansen returned from Vancouver this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Christensen and baby son are expected from Vancouver. They are taking over the Ed Christensen farm and we are glad to welcome them back home.

Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Hansen spent New Year's Eve with Mr. and Mrs. F. Christensen at Standard.

Mr. Chris Hansen, Mr. Simon Fraser and Jimmy were in Chancellor on New Year's Day.

Cpl. Amy held court in Chancellor on Wednesday afternoon.

A number of friends and neighbors called on Mrs. Wheatley on Wednesday to wish her a happy birthday.

F. O. A. E. Hobbs was home for New Year's Day.

Mr. Clarence Marsh has his brother staying with him for a few weeks. Mrs. Annie Phillips returned home last Wednesday after staying with her son Charles at Byemoor for two months.

NIGHTINGALE

—By R. B.—

The New Year came in with very fine weather and as usual the young folks went to various dances while the older folks enjoyed the comforts of home.

The Valley Garden and Nightingale School concerts were well attended and the usual good time for the children with Santa Claus coming along to distribute the gifts.

Sgt. Russell Morgan was lucky enough to get a month's leave at home before he had to report East.

George Thurston Jr. came down from Fort Norman to spend the Christmas holiday with his family at the Newall home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan entertained at a New Years dinner. They had a large crowd of relatives as guests.

C. R. Gladden spent Christmas and New Years with friends in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard had as guests for the New Year Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ridsdon and son, from Strathmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Harriman entertained two New Zealand airmen and five R. A. F. boys over the Christmas and New Year leaves.

Captain and Mrs. Downey and children spent a few days over Christmas with the Harriman family.

Be sure to come to the big dance at the Hall Friday 14th.

The W. I. meeting will be held Friday, January 14th, at Mrs. Larson's home.

First Doctor—I had an unusual case today.

Second Doctor—What was it?

First Doctor—I attended a grass widow with hay fever.

THE 'OUT-SIDE'

Plans to increase production of shoes for children by at least a million pairs in 1944 have been worked out by the industry and the War-time Prices and Trade Board.

Imitation spices now being manufactured to replace varieties of pure spices have been placed under the price ceiling by the War-time Prices and Trade Board. This bogus imitation pepper, black and white, allspice, cinnamon, cloves, cashew gins, Jamaica gins, nutmegs, mace and sage under price control.

The ideal shopper from the standpoint of Local Ration Board is a smart retail merchant is the consumer who keep himself or her self well informed in regard to ration dates by consulting the Ration Coupon Calendar at home before the shopping expedition is begun. By carrying a list along with their ration coupon books and consulting it as required, they are relieved of the necessity of asking questions of busy salespeople and the latter are also relieved of answering them and possibly making errors in doing so. With many retail establishments understaffed as exceptionally busy, general observance of this rule is recommended by rationing authorities and retail merchants' organization.

Although it is proposed to increase the value of "D" coupons for the purchase of maple syrup, it is pointed out by the Local Ration Board that this change will not go into effect until next March 2. This explanation is given in order to correct a mistaken impression which appears to be prevalent. Until March 2 the "D" coupon is worth 12 fluid ounces of maple syrup; on and after that date it will be worth 20 fluid ounces.

It is vitally important that all cardboard, corrugated paper, brown paper, magazines and newspapers be salvaged by the War-time Prices and Trade Board. The first three should be bundled together and the last two separately, when 50 pounds are accumulated local salvage committees should be notified to collect it.

COMING EVENTS

The Annual Meeting of the Red Cross Society will be held in the Memorial Hall Dining Room January 10th, at 8 p.m.

Keep this date open. Come and hear what this Society has done in 1943.

The Red Cross requests newspapers, wrapping paper and cardboard and paper of all kinds. These are urgently needed and may be left in the Red Cross Box at the Western Dept. Store, Strathmore.

The A. F. U. will hold a meeting in the Memorial Hall Wednesday, Jan. 12th, at 8 p.m.

Election of Officers. A discussion will take place on the proposed Strike Ballot. All Farmers should attend this meeting.

The regular meeting of the Sorosis Society will be held Wednesday, January 12th, at 2.30 p.m. at Mrs. Nichol's home. A good attendance is requested. Please note change of time.

Nightingale W. I.

The Nightingale W. I. held its regular annual meeting at the Hall Friday, December 17th, with a good attendance. The Secretary and Treasurer's reports were read and adopted. Mrs. Larson, retiring president, was chosen chairman for the afternoon. She made a very short speech thanking the members for their cooperation during her two years as president.

Several resolutions drafted by the executive committee were read and discussed and voted upon. These provide for the establishment of a sick and gifts committee, an entertainment and dance committee, a Red Cross committee and appointment for a person in charge of the sale of War Stamps and Certificates and one for the Milk for Britain Fund. All members not answering the roll call are to be fined 5 cents for Milk for Britain Fund.

The following were elected to serve in 1944—

President—Mrs. Albert Mercer.
1st. Vice—Mrs. Wm. Joel.
2nd. Vice—Mrs. Don Duggan.
Secretary—Mrs. Ruth Brown.
Treasurer—Mrs. Charles Kimmel.
Convenors—
Education—Miss Joan Althens.
Agriculture—Mrs. Larson.
Household Economics—Mrs. Stoodley.
Handicraft—Mrs. Don Duggan.
Canadianization—Mrs. G. Thurston.
Child Welfare—Mrs. H. Hillon.
Legislation—Mrs. Harriman.

Music—Mrs. Walter Mercer.

Directors and other committees will be appointed at the January 13th meeting. A delicious community lunch was enjoyed by all. An exchange of lovely wrapped Christmas gifts introduced a real spirit of Christmas and another pleasant afternoon and successful year for the W. I. was ended.

The next W. I. Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. Larson on Jan. 13th. Each member is requested to bring a suggestion for roll call for the New Year.

—W. I. ANNUAL REPORT—
Secretary's Report for the Year

Ending 1943
The Nightingale Women's Institute has a membership of 24 for 1943. Twenty-two meetings were held with an average attendance of 18 members. Activities of our group have been concentrated mainly with the war effort and are as follows.

In March we had a supper in the Hall and all proceeds were donated to the Red Cross.

Nine Christmas parcels were sent to our boys overseas and cigarettes were sent twice during the year. War Stamps to the value of \$16 were sold. Christmas letters were written by members to all boys and girls in the service from this district. Eight ditty bags were filled. We made two navy league quilts and two large and two small quilts for the Red Cross. Cash donations were sent as follows to the

Jam Fund—\$10; Salvation Army \$5; Milk for Britain \$2.50; Russian Relief \$20. Bundles of old, but usable, clothing were sent to Russian Relief. Members made 133 sewn and knitted articles for the Red Cross. Good reading books were sent to the boys in the service.

Delegates were sent to the Calgary Conference in March and the Conference in Strathmore in June.

We sponsored a United Church Cantata in the Nightingale Hall on Good Friday.

The Serviceberry Berta-Vale W. I. and Nightingale W. I. together had Elma Jaques come to Strathmore in February.

We bought new blinds and drapes for the ladies room in the Hall.

Besides one dance in June we had our annual bazaar ad dance in November. It was a gala affair with brand tubs for both boys and girls, a bingo table, fortune telling booth a guess my name doll, bean guessing, and a sale of home made articles and home baking. The sum of \$233.50 was cleared.

It has been a busy year, fellow members. Let us double our efforts to help bring victory that much sooner.

Ruth Brown, Secretary.

WORLD OF WHEAT

By H. G. L. Strange

—QUALITY IN WHEAT—

The almost frantic war demands for livestock products from our prairies, and the consequent necessity of producing acreages of coarse grains to feed to livestock, have somewhat taken our minds away from our stable product—wheat. My own opinion, however, has always been that after the war wheat once again will be the mainstay of our prairies. For myself I believe that European countries will tend to produce more of their own livestock products and to grow less of their own wheat, simply because we can produce wheat cheaper. Once again, therefore, the quality of Canadian wheat will be of paramount importance.

This coming spring is none too soon for farmers to endeavour energetically to maintain and even to improve the quality of our prairie wheat crop. There is no better way to do this than to use a few bushels of the highest quality seed, registered and sealed in the sack by the Government, and to sow this on a few acres of clean summer fallow. Such a few bushels multiplied for two or three years would supply any farmer with all the seed required for all his acreage, would ensure a high quality crop and so would bring to the farmer a greater return for his efforts both in yield and in grade.

CHEADLE

by B. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carlin spent the Christmas holidays with the girls' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cramer.

Mrs. Emery Scott and baby son are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Drake.

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon MacDonald and children are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. MacDonald.

Miss Bernice Welshimer is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Blair Field, of Carleton.

Mrs. Violet Van Buren and her two boys left on Monday for Toronto to join Mr. Van Buren.

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SWIFT CURRENT SASKATCHEWAN



Income tax interests everyone. The new T-1 Special Form for those whose income in 1943 didn't top \$3,000 is simpler; above that bracket it is a little more complicated. The T-1 Special is 4-pages as before but the last two are taken up with showing you tables on various incomes, etc. There are 17 main questions to be answered instead of 14, and you won't be confused this time by that 50% remission of tax due because of the 'pay-as-you-earn plan'.

Capital notes—Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King went into his 70th year on December 17th. . . . attending a brief Cabinet meeting, his colleagues presented him with an illuminated globe, their names inscribed on the rim. . . . the Diplomatic colony is having problems in Ottawa, too; there are 15 ministers in residence, two with emergency quarters at the Chateau Laurier and four more soon to be "hunting" . . . a valuable blue Colorado spruce on Sir Robert Borden's grave in Beechwood cemetery was found by police in a barn, about four miles away; it had been hacked down.

Some interesting figures are revealed on women in employment in Canada and we mean figures literally. Women employed in our industries increased by 70,000 over the past twelve months, a total of 510,715; the increase in males in employment was less than a thousand; at October 1, 1943, 337,251 women were in manufacturing, 80,236 in trade; 32,958 in finance and 25,819 in services. Communications,

transportation, construction, mining and logging together accounted for about 34,450, or only 7.67 per cent of the total. Ontario and Quebec, of course, were first and second in number employed. Largest increases in number of females at work were shown by British Columbia with a rise of 34.5% and by Alberta where a 30.2% increase was indicated over 1942.

In the armed forces—C. W. A. C.'s may now carry a suitcase or club bag when travelling individually . . . to get wounded Canadian soldiers to hospital quickly, supply trucks can be pressed into emergency service as ambulances, special sets of harness now are being manufactured in Canada to provide carriage for stretchers . . . soldiers in Italy temporarily relieved from front line duties now get a chance to go on Auxiliary conducted tours, see famous places, hear Italian operas, see a variety of sculpture, paintings . . . the boys are going to see films of the 1943 World's baseball series.

Agriculture Department announces a National poultry conference in Ottawa about middle of January, to study current and post-war production and marketing problems.

Canadian transportation—Combined gross operating revenues of the C. P. R. and C. N. R. for eleven months to November 1943 reached a high of \$671,380,000, two and a half times the pre-war comparison in 1938 . . . civil aircraft carried nearly 11,000 more.

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CEC's Prairies Region Women's Commentator is heard daily Mondays through Fridays at 9:30 a.m. CDT (\$3.00 a.m. MDT) from Winnipeg.

Send For Yours Today

Housewives who have trouble keeping track of the many ration dates will be interested in a new nutrition calendar which provides space under each date in which to jot down when their tea, sugar, butter and meat coupons fall due. Designed and distributed by the Nutrition Department of the Health League of Canada, 111 Avenue Road, Toronto, the calendar consists of a photograph in natural color, portraying the available foods one should eat each day for proper nutrition. Attractively displayed on a dark green background which blends in with any kitchen trim, the proper vegetables, fruits, meat, eggs, cheese, etc., constituting healthful diet are illustrated in lifelike colours. Reading matter is cut down to a minimum, allowing the housewife, with a single glance, to refresh her memory as to the right foods to buy.

CROWFOOT

— By M. C. S. —

Friends of Mr. Bob Van Buskirk of Tofield, who used to live in this district will be sorry to hear that he is ill and has gone to Everett, Washington to be under the care of his son Dr. Elmer Van Buskirk.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schuman entertained Mr. and Mrs. H. Spring and Lucille of Strathmore and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Taylor and Mr. Ed Schmidt of Calgary on Christmas Day.

Much credit is due Miss Harp and her ten pupils for the splendid program put on at the School.

Mrs. Bloomfield and little daughter Barbara and Donna, spent several days with her sister at the teacherage. Miss Harp returned to Calgary with them to spend a part of her holidays.

Twelve members of the family spent the day after Christmas with Mrs. Scheer and Ruth.

Mr. and Mrs. Nilsson gave a dinner for a few friends on Wednesday evening. Dancing and singing carols around tree, an old Danish custom created much merriment.

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. Norman Scheer and Norma entertained twelve ladies at tea. Among those present were Mrs. Elmer Peterson of Edmonton and Miss Jane Julian of Seattle, Washington.

Rowe and Dale Harvey gave a jolly skating party for their friends Tuesday afternoon. Mr. W. J. Harvey, Miss Frances Harvey R. N. and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Harvey and family spent part of the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Chas Harvey and sons at the old home.

Mrs. Julian, Jane and Bill and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lement were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scheer and John on Monday.

Misses Olive Gariett, Opal Egeland, Hillevi and Katie Nilsson and Norma Scheer spent their vacations at their respective home.

Rev. Hunt held services at Crowfoot Schoolhouse Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Amanda Englund was well enough to be with her family at a New Year's celebration at Mr. David Englund's.

In nearly every home there was a New Year's celebration with friends and relatives present.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Sacrament" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon at all the Christian Science Churches on Sunday. The Golden Text is John 6:33. One of the Scriptural citations is "Blessed are the meek; for they shall inherit the earth" (Matthew 5:5). One of the correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, is "What we most need is the prayer of fervent desire for growth in grace, expressed in patience, meekness, love, and good deeds. To keep the commandments of our Master and follow his example, is our proper debt to him and the only worthy evidence of our gratitude for all that he has done" (p. 4).

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paying passengers in August than the same month a year ago, while freight and mail increased correspondingly.

In future a farmer cannot apply for new machinery to replace used which he has sold, until he has filed a statement describing the used machinery and reasons why he has sold it. He must also get a notice from the WPTB representative that his application will be approved—if the desired equipment is available.

Many of us think of India as a vague place related to Canada, but do you know that exports of Canadian products to British India this year aggregated about \$126,000,000 as compared with \$5,166,000 in 1939, and that we stand fifth among all sources of her imports? We sold them mostly motor vehicles and parts, metals, tea chest materials, newsprint, calcium carbide

etc. From India we are getting tea and gunny cloth mainly, also some chrom ore, peanut oil, castor oil shellac and skins.

Of interest to farmers—Breathing of potatoes during steady cold weather is very low, so it is suggested all ventilators and doors in buildings used for winter storage of seed spuds be closed and well protected to prevent freezing. . . . Never overfeed is one of the principle rules for feeding dairy cattle, but feed according to the individual needs and desires of each animal and there should be regularity in hours of feeding and character of food.

"Caroline is false to the league", a girl growled at a strawberry festival. "False—How so?" said a visitor from the city.

"Here we are," the girl explained, "selling kisses for charity and Caroline is bootlegging them, outside in the moonlight."

WEEKLY NEWS RELEASE

Owen Lohley, rentals administrator of Quebec and the Maritime Provinces has been appointed rentals administrator for Canada, Donald Gordon, chairman of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, announces. Mr. Lohley will assume territory formerly under jurisdiction of Cyril R. DeMara, who has resigned from the Board due to pressure of work.

Newsprint Rates are Announced—Production and shipment rate for newsprint and for pulp and paper products during the first six months of 1944 are announced by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board.

Wood pulp shipments to the United States will be at annual rates of 1,109,000 tons. Newsprint production will be at a monthly rate of 252,000 tons of which 200,000 tons will be available for United States with 15,400 tons available for Canadian consumption and 37,500 tons for overseas markets

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[] Outdoors	3.10
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☐ Christian Herald	9 mos.	☐ Family Herald & Weekly Star	1 yr.
☐ American Girl	1 yr.	☐ New World (Illustrated)	1 yr.
☐ Sports Afield	1 yr.	☐ Free Press Prairie Farmer	1 yr.
☐ Parent's Magazine	9 mos.	☐ Western Producer	1 yr.
☐ Outdoors	1 yr.	☐ The Country Guide	2 yrs.
☐ Open Road for Boys	1 yr.	☐ Canadian Poultryman	1 yr.
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WE salute you as the year of coming Victory and let us hope the beginning of the end of all wars.

Annual Meetings

THE incoming of the New Year again brings Annual Meetings to a top place on the list of activities.

Every organization elects its officers and makes plans for the ensuing twelve months. Several of these are limited to a certain group of men and women and do not call for the attention of the public at large.

There are two annual meetings which do concern the general public and should enlist their warmest interest, but unfortunately appalling apathy of the citizen is marred by non-attendance at either of these two special gatherings. We speak of the Annual Meeting of the Ratepayers of the Town and the Annual Meeting of the School Board.

The work of both of these bodies concerns the average citizen very directly, and should deserve your attendance, either to approve or to suggest added improvement.

It may be that by remaining away general approval of the work of these two bodies is to be taken for granted, but that negative attitude is not good enough.

It may be that in the not distant future questions of valuable inquiry may come before these meetings. You should be present to hear them first-hand. Strathmore district should now be planning some post-war project not only for our own boys but also to attract some of the many who will want to settle in Canada. It is not too soon to be making plans.

The members of these bodies give their time gratis. It is a debatable question whether they should not have some remuneration.

At least they are deserving of your concern for their legislation and expressed approval.

LANGDON

— By M. E. M. —

Happy New Year to Everybody!

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Michel of Calgary, E. Lowe and family and H. Peterson and family were New Year's guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Buntain at Fairplay.

Sgt. E. M. Scott of Chesholm, Mrs. Scott and Murray of Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnston M. P. of Three Hills were visitors at the home of Mrs. S. Scott on New Year's Day. Ernie and family left on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Freeman of Calgary had New Year's dinner at the A. Heckle home and Mrs. Edith Wilson and two boys of Calgary visited at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Braden.

Mrs. George Whitney visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Dick at Carceland for several days last week.

Mrs. A. Bairn of Calgary, spent Tuesday and Wednesday of holiday week at the G. Whitney home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brander enjoyed several days at the home of her parents at Didsbury last week-end.

RURAL GLEICHEN

Miss Marie Steinhauer of Calgary spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Gordon Stott.

We are very pleased to hear that Mrs. W. Gibeau is gradually improving after her serious illness. She is still in the Calgary Hospital.

Willert Nicholas has been home on leave from Toronto. He has remustered into air crew.

Sgt. Bill Snidman spent his leave at home. He comes from Ottawa.

P. O. Elliott Evans spent New Years with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Evans. He is at Rivers, Man.

L. A. C. Ken Macintosh of Saskatoon spent New Years at J. A. McArthur's.

New Years Day Mary Downey of High River demonstrated the efficient training of a B. N. even to picking the pickles of a dairy herd.

New Year's Eve dance in Gleichen was a huge success. Len Davis orchestra assured good music and the capacity crowd proved that everyone was out for a good time. At midnight favors were in great evidence, and the lunch put on by the Red Cross was well attended.

Last Monday night about twenty-four young folks of the community gathered at the Shamrock school in honor of Betsy Bell who was home for the week. Dancing was enjoyed then the crowd adjourned to the home of Georgina MacIver where dainty refreshments were awaiting them.

Helen Gilbert spent the holidays at her home in Gleichen.

Detty Jane McQueen, who is in training in a hospital at Medicine Hat was home for New Years.

Grace Deshayes, who has been working in the local bank has been transferred to Edmonton.

Mary Dunn of Calgary spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Evans. Last Sunday a group of young people enjoyed a skating party on a pond near the Nerland home.

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilson came down from Calgary for the dance in Gleichen and New Years with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilson.

Sgt. Albert Riddell came from Vulcan to spend New Years with his parents.

Mr. W. H. and Miss M. Goodwin went to Vancouver before Christmas and are visiting their niece, Mrs. Mary Riches.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kerstein are visiting relatives in Saskatchewan. They plan to spend the winter there.

Brian Burne was home for three days from Winnipeg to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Burne.

Mrs. J. L. Morris and little Elleen of Aldrie spent a week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Burne.

Walter Schuele had the misfortune to get some steel in his eye while he was working in the Central Motors garage. Dr. Farquharson removed some but another operation had to be performed in Calgary.

Don McArthur has hauled several loads of oats to Olds. Other sections might raise good grain but farmers are always glad to get the real good seed from this district.

CARSELAND

— By H. K. —

Eddie Bishop of Calgary, Pete Tomelin of Brandon, Les Bergquist of Camrose and Bruce Page of Medicine Hat were home for Christmas or New Years leave.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. George Mace in the loss of his father, Mr. Rufus Mace, who passed away December 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Park are spending a month in Eastern Ontario.

We are pleased to report that Mrs. Bishop was well enough to leave the hospital for Christmas and is now with her daughter, Mrs. Wright.

Miss Helen Kennaugh, who was home from Cochrane for the holidays was presented with a fitted writing case, by the Ladies Aid, for her efficient and faithful work in the church and Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Forbes were visitors in town at the weekend. Mr. Forbes is now operating the store formerly owned by Mr. B. Sigal in Calgary.

The Annual Christmas Dance held in the Hall on Dec. 29th., with Jack Little's orchestra in attendance, was an outstanding success. The holiday spirit was in the air and everyone reported an exceptionally fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Peterson and family of Cayley were Carceland visitors during the holidays.

Mr. Bill Lausen, who had a severe attack of the flu is well enough to be home from the hospital.

Rev. Sieber, who spend the Christmas holidays in Edmonton with Mr. and Mrs. H. Spelman, has returned to his home.

Sincere sympathy is extended by all Carceland to Mrs. Carlyle Christensen and Mr. and Mrs. C. Christensen in their recent sad bereavement.

Lloyd Lea, R. C. A. F. has returned to Manitoba after spending Christmas leave at home.

Mrs. Dave Anderson had the misfortune to fall on the ice while skating and break her arm.

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartell on their marriage on New Year's Eve.

Floyd Cary, R. C. A. F. has returned to the West Coast after spending leave with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Giles and family of Olive visited Carceland relatives and friends during the holidays.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Phillips at Christmas. The following families were able to attend—Mr. and Mrs. Le and Phillips of Strathmore; Mr. and Mrs. Dyane Phillips and family; Mr. and Mrs. J. Garnett and family; Mr. and Mrs. E. Dalton; Mr. and Mrs. H. Hebb and family; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dalton of Calgary; Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Phillips of Three Hills.

Mr. Robert Moore is spending the Christmas holidays in Vancouver, the guest of his brother, Mr. Harry Moore and family.

Congratulations are extended to P. O. and Mrs. Bill Cole of High River, on the birth of a son.

Those spending Christmas holidays at home were—Frances Cole, Margaret Gilbert, Lois Dick, Margaret Petersen, Irene Trent, Ruth Chataigne, Noel Barlow, Helen McKinnon, June Gehrke, Elaine Fortney, Dennis Page, Ed Barlow and Murray Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Slesko and Emily spent Christmas visiting friends in Medicine Hat.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Field have been



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Johnny Christensen of Cardston has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Groves.

Eric Barlow left on Monday for Taber to resume his work at the oil well. Vernon Krueger R. C. N. V. R. will

leave for the East Coast, where he has recently been posted.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Forbes and May of Vancouver were Carceland visitors over the week-end.

Don't forget the dance on Jan 14th. Ladies, it's your night!

NAMAKA

by M. W.

School opened on Monday morning both teachers resuming their work. Pte. Ernest Wilson was home on New Year's leave from Medicine Hat.

Cpl. James Stevenson of Sale, Cheshire and A. C. Jack Pound of Hull, Yorkshire, England, now of No. 37 S. F. T. S. Calgary, spent their New Year leave with Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Buker.

Sgt. Glau left the Air Firing range Monday and was replaced by W. O. Rae Lewis.

We are very pleased to report that Myron is home from the hospital and will soon be quite well again.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lepp and Geo. of Acme spent the New Years week-end with the Jacob Lepp family.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Pollard of High River were home for New Years day taking Miss Margaret Thomson back with them.

Miss Jean Aitkens returned to her school at Nightingale on Sunday. Her mother accompanied her and will spend the week.

The New Year's dance in the hall was well attended and a good time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McBean of New Ayton and Miss Catherine visited the Mackie's and H. E. Johnson's last week.

The Ladies Aid will meet at Mrs. Aitkens home on Tuesday, Jan. 11th. Please note the change of day.

The Red Cross will meet at Mrs. Watt's home on the second Thursday the 13th, instead of the fourth.

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CHEADLE

by B. W.

A large crowd of Cheadle folk gathered at the Hall Tuesday evening honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartell whose marriage was an event of Friday, December 31st. Dancing was enjoyed for several hours, after which Bill Craig, on behalf of the community, presented the young couple with a pyrex double boiler, and a host of good wishes for their future. Everyone then joined hands around them and sang "For They Are Jolly Good Fellows", followed by three lusty cheers. Both Margaret and Jack expressed their very sincere thanks for the gift and the kind wishes of their many friends. Everyone in community extends very best wishes to the popular young couple.

Lt. Ogden MacLean is home on leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Payne and family spent New Years with Mr. and Mrs. MacDougall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Barber and Letitia spent New Years with their son Cecil. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miner entertained at a very delightful New Year's Eve. Miss L. MacLean invited the Cheadle group up to her suite in Strathmore for lunch during the dance intermission.

A farmer in great need of more help, at having time finally asked Si Warren, a town character, if he could help him out.

"What'll you pay?" demanded Si. "I'll pay what you're worth," answered the farmer.

Si scratched his head for a minute and then answered decisively—"I'll be darned if I'll work for that!"

NEWS FROM O'SEAS

Mrs. Joe Woods writes—

Dear Mrs. Moore;
Just a line to thank you very much for sending the paper to my husband. Although I, myself, do not know the places, I do feel interested in all the news. I hope one day to be able to see some of the joys of Canada. I don't know if you have been sending lately but we have not received any papers for some time. Perhaps you have not got my husband's right address now, as we do not seem to be getting any mail either, and we would like to hear from someone now and again. My husband's address now is, M20879 Pte. J. E. Woods
No. 1 Can. Adm Transport Coy.
R. C. A. S. C.

Can. Army, England.

I do hope we may get a paper now with some of your Christmas news in. We all hope this terrible war will soon be over and we can all settle down to a happy peaceful life and I think that is what all the boys hope.

It has been my pleasure to meet and to know several of the Strathmore boys and a very nice lot of lads they are. They are always welcome to our home until such time as we come to Canada and I hope that won't be very long. We used to see quite a lot of Pte. Howard Smith and Doug Hirtle and his wife but just lately have lost track of them. We are expecting Jack Issard to come and see us anytime now.

Glad to say Joe is quite well but looking forward to coming back to see old friends again.

We have not heard from Mrs. Art Hay from the C. P. R. so don't know what has happened.

I do hope, Mrs. Moore, you won't think I have taken up too much of your time, but we should like to hear from someone out there. I must close now with all the best wishes for Christmas and the New Year and hope for a speedy end to the war, I remain

Yours sincerely,
Mrs. Catherine Woods.

P. S.—I am writing this letter for my husband as he is very busy these days.

Jack Issard writes—

Dear Mrs. Moore:
Here are a few lines to Strathmore of 1944, as it will be by the time you receive this.

Still getting all your Strathmore Standards although they had quite a time finding me after I had moved from Unit B Base and then elsewhere. I got three of them last week and have not lost one so far. They are always news to me even if they are a month or so old.

I am now in the largest Army Command in England and have left my old Unit, the South Alberta Regt. Not many of them are left, that is the 1940 boys. Some are in the battle front, some are transferred, some have gone back and some are re-boarded etc. right down from the Colonel to the Trooper.

I am now waiting draft but when or where, I do not know. Thousands of Alberta boys, some of whom I have not seen since 1940, are here. Joe Woods and his wife live only a few minutes walk from my billet. I was to their home for supper last week, and to church with them last night. His Unit is in Italy and "Smitty", who used to be at the C. P. R. Farm is with them "over there". He also took an English bride. I met a boy today whose uncle, Mr. Little, was on the Irrigation Staff at Strathmore years ago. I am enclosing a couple of pictures of the bombings which I know you would like to see and a clipping

out of today's paper.

I have had several invitations given me for Christmas Day. We cannot travel on trains and can go only 20 miles radius. My Sorosis parcel reached me in good condition three weeks ago and I have written them a letter of thanks.

The road signs are all back on the highways again now and they are putting all street lights back in shape ready for the day when they will shine again. The British people will never go to bed that night.

I will close now, wishing you and the Strathmore Standard success for 1944. Cherrie and kind regards, from one of the gang,

Jack Issard.

Sidney Griffith writes—

Dear Editor:
I lived in Nightingale for about 20 years coming to that district with some of the first settlers in 1910. I am now farming in South Wales having been over here about eight years.

I have met two or three of my old friends from Nightingale who are in the Forces over here, Jack Stoodley being one. Charlie Taylor from Midnapore also spent some of his leave with me and I am always very pleased to get in touch with any of the boys from Alberta so if there are any boys over here who would like to spend a leave on a farm I should be only too pleased to see them. I live on a farm which is very much in the country and if they want a quiet place to go they will always be welcome.

A while ago I was reading my weekly farming paper and I saw in it a photo of the Canadian boys being shown over a farm and one was Bill Sadler from Strathmore. I remember him when he was a kid and I was then farming on the Knyvet farm a mile from Strathmore.

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OBITUARIES

NORMAN MACLEOD

Norman Laughlin MacLeod, 43, died suddenly at his home in Hussar. A heart attack is believed to have been the cause of death.

Born in Lacombe, he had operated the Pool elevator in Hussar for six years, and previous to that lived at Milo for 10 years.

Mr. MacLeod served overseas for 3 years during the First Great War with the 151st. attalion, having enlisted at Lacombe in January 1915. He was sergeant-major of the 22 Battery (R) at Hussar.

A member of the Masonic Order he also belonged to the Harmony Chapter Royal Arch Masons at Bassano.

Surviving are his widow, Marion; a son, Norman James, Hussar; his mother, Mrs. Annie MacLeod of Clive; a sister, Mrs. Walter McDermott of Wellington, B. C.; five brother, Nell, Wilfred, Kenneth and Roderick of Clive; Gordon of Victoria.

Rev. Henry Rees conducted funeral services at Jacques' chapel Wednesday, Jan. 5th, at 4 p.m. The body will be forwarded Thursday to Clive for burial.

JOHN W. ROTH

John W. Roth, beloved husband of Mrs. Roberta Roth of Nightingale died Jan. 1st, 1944.

The remains are resting at Gooder Brothers Funeral Home. Time and place of the service will be announced later.

Allice—When you hold me like this I can feel a daze coming over me. Tex—And will you love in the daze to come?

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Yours truly,

Sidney D. Griffith.

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day and will be home for the evening
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7.30 p.m.— Communion Service.
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8 p.m.— Annual Congregational
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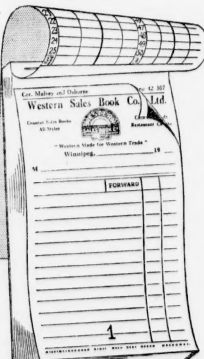
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She— I do eat. Where shall we go?

Berta Vale - Serviceberry Women's Institute 1943 Annual Report

Following is the annual report for the Berta-Vale Serviceberry Women's Institute from Jan. 7th, 1943 to Dec. 2nd, 1943.

There were 22 meetings held and there were 21 members. The average attendance was 11 (approx.) and the average number of visitors was 2 (approx.).

I submit the following financial report—

— INCOME —

Tea Collections—	\$28.50
Whist Drives—	\$47.55
Collections & Donations—	\$15.91
Edna Jacques Recital—	\$14.20
Dues—	\$1.25
Refunds—	\$2.84
Bazaar—	\$172.24
Fines—	.39
Hankie Sale & Grab Box—	\$7.38
White Elephant Sale—	\$7.54
War Savings Stamps—	\$12.75
TOTAL—	\$311.46
CASH ON HAND—	\$57.65
TOTAL INCOME—	\$369.11

— CREDITS —

Charities—	\$179.92
Dues—	\$28.50
Running Expenses—	\$14.97
Music—	\$15.40
Edna Jacques Recital—	\$11.00
Exchange on Cheques—	.25
Bazaar Expenses—	\$10.71
Cigarette Fund—	\$5.00
Gifts—	\$28.50
Cups and Stove—	\$6.90
Convention—	\$8.20
Ditty Bag—	\$3.69
War Savings Stamps—	\$16.25
TOTAL—	\$322.45
CASH ON HAND—	\$369.11
CREDITS—	\$322.45
AMOUNT ON HAND—	\$46.66

● SECRETARY'S REPORT ●

This marks the close of the second year since this Institute was first organized. Our second year has been fully as successful as the first and I am sure we are all very pleased with the results of our work since we began. We have been mainly concerned with the continuing of our war work.

Another baby's layette was made which included both sewing and knitting, and an almanac's outfit was also knitted. These consisted of many pieces each.

A large patchwork quilt was made, these and small miscellaneous items being donated to the Red Cross.

A baby's quilt was made and donated by Mrs. Struble.

Articles of clothing were given to the Art of Russia drive.

Many donations of money were made during the year to many organizations and war funds. Cigarettes and chocolate bars etc. were sent to men from these districts who are on active service. Two ditty bags were filled and sent away.

The whist drives were held all last winter, alternately at the two schools, and have commenced again this year. These are always enjoyed by those attending. It is an inexpensive evening's entertainment and the Institute always profits by a few dollars. Dancing usually completes these evenings.

Two dozen more cups were bought in addition to those bought last year. To be used at these gatherings. A coal oil stove was also bought.

Last winter we were able, along with the Nightingale W. I. to bring Edna Jacques to Strathmore. We all remember her talk and poetry.

On June 18th, the W. I. Conference was held in Strathmore and our own Institute was hostess at this event, and though it was a responsibility we were able to carry out our duties suc-

cessfully. It was a tremendous thrill when the points were all added up and we found ourselves again winners by a wide margin of the Silver Cup awarded to the Institute with the best display of Handicrafts. We also won the cup awarded for the best individual piece of work shown.

To have your efforts recognized in this way gives a great feeling of satisfaction. Mrs. Brook was our delegate and brought back a splendid report.

We try to have interesting, amusing and helpful roll calls. "Household Hints", "Wartime Recipes", "School Day Pranks", "Truth or Consequences" are some of these.

Much merriment and also tidy little sums of money have resulted from White Elephant and Ha dkerch sales held at meetings during the year.

All tea collections over \$1.00 are used to purchase War Savings Stamps.

Mrs. Thurston, Constancy Convener attended one meeting and gave a report of the W. I. Conference held in Calgary. She also gave a paper on the origin of certain words which was very interesting.

Mrs. Patrick, president of the Strathmore branch of the Red Cross was a visitor at two of our meetings and gave a talk on the naming of our capital city, Ottawa. She also read a parody on the last war.

Covenors of all standing committees gave papers on their particular subjects, all of which were interesting and enjoyed.

Mrs. Pugh has made generous contributions and Mrs. G. G. Dawson, Mrs. Phillips and Fanny Timolin, although not members, have made donations which were much appreciated.

Opening this winter season was our Bazaar which was held on Nov. 5th. In addition to the many articles on the Bazaar table there was a home cooking table, bean guessing contest at, bingo at the Institute quilt was raffled off.

Mrs. Warwick kindly donated a pudding which tickets were sold on, helping to swell our funds by a margin of 166.59.

There are many who feel that in just two years the Bazaar has outgrown Berta-Vale School. It was the biggest financial success this Institute has ever had.

At our last meeting \$5 was voted to each of the school concerts, for we believe we should not forget our own community, even though it be wartime; in fact the resumption of social activities in the Schools, after a lapse of several years is due in great part to the work of the W. I.

As we come to the end of another year and take stock of what we have accomplished we hope it will furnish incentive to go on from here, to keep up the standard we have set for ourselves.

Here's wishing you all a Happy New Year and to my successor the best of luck.

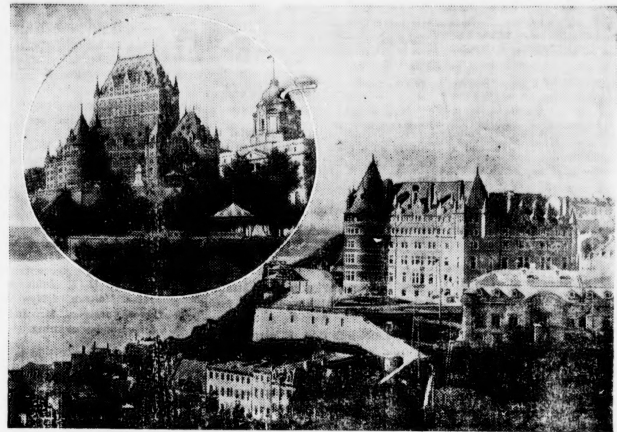
Signed, Margaret Way, Secretary.

● PRESIDENT'S REPORT ●

To the ladies of the Berta-Vale and Serviceberry W. I. I wish to say thanks to you all; the credit is not only due to one individual, but to you all for your splendid support, and ever willing effort to help in every way possible to make this year 1943 a splendid success.

Sometimes we may think, it is a lot of work, but in every organization there is a certain amount of work to be done, and if we just think back, and I know you all do, what kindness we have have done and what happen-

50th Anniversary for C.P.R.'s Famed Chateau Frontenac



TOWERING up from the most outstanding location in Quebec on the cliff which overlooks the St. Lawrence River, the Chateau Frontenac, one of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's country-wide chain of "grand hotels," celebrates its 50th anniversary on December 17, 1943. Built on the spot where once rose the Chateau St. Louis, official residence of early French governors and in a city where sea lanes and rail lines converge, the great hotel is one of the best known in the world.

As the above pictures illustrate, today's Chateau Frontenac (inset), with 723 guest rooms, is much enlarged over the 1893 hostelry (main picture) which started the company's move into the coast-to-coast hotel field. In 1893-99 the first addition,

the Citadel Wing, was made to the original structure. Since then the Mont Carmel Wing in 1908-09, the St. Louis Wing in 1920-22 and the Central Tower, from 1920-24, have been added, with further major improvements being made in 1926.

Some of the additions called for marvels of planning such as the excavation of more than 40,000 cubic yards of rock from a space entirely surrounded by adjacent structures, which continued in full operation, to the minimum. Masonry on the tower was completed during the winter and often storms and high winds made it impossible to work.

Very few hotels anywhere have had their royal suitcases in the Chateau Frontenac, which has

housed in its day King George V; Their Majesties, King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, during the Royal Visit of 1939; and governors general of Canada and their consorts from the Earl of Aberdeen down to the Earl of Athlone.

With all this in its 50-year background of distinguished service it still remained for August of 1943 to bring its greatest hour to the Chateau Frontenac, which is managed by B. A. Neale and under the direction of H. F. Matthews, general manager of hotels. Last August it was for 18 days the very "nerve centre" of the Quebec Conference as Prime Minister Winston Churchill and President Franklin D. Roosevelt met in the Ancient Canadian Hotel. Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King.

W. P. T. B. NOTES FOR FARMERS

Farm Machinery Rules Tightened—

Closer control of the purchase and sale of farm machinery and equipment under rationing marks a new consolidated order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Now, before applying for new equipment after old machinery has been sold, the farmer is required to file a statement describing the used machinery sold, reasons for sale and new machinery required. It must also secure a notice from the Board's representative, W. C. Trimble, Williamson Building, Edmonton, on his application will be approved, and that the desired machinery will be available.

Applications will be taken on from farmers who actually own or lease the farm on which the machinery is to be used.

Repair parts are also limited to essential sales in order to put machinery in good working order.

Diner—Do you cook yourself?
Walter—No, once in a while I burn my finger is all.

ess we have brought for many a child as well as our soldiers, a home almanac through our donations through the year.

Every two weeks we have met together and have had good meetings and teas, where if it weren't for the organizations we may have never met one another, and our meetings are very sociable and I only hope you have all enjoyed them like I have.

And so, may I say thanks again for your support and hope in 1944, you will give your new President the same willing and eager cooperation.

I thank you.
—Mary Morton, President.

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STRATHMORE

Local News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sadler are rejoicing over the birth of a baby girl, on Monday, December 27th.

Cpls. Irene Pritchard and Ivy Folley spent the New Year's weekend at home.

Woodrow Wagner, of Standard, has enlisted in the R. C. A. F. in the Std. Aircrew and will commence his training shortly.

A jolly party of fifteen young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McNeill at 12 o'clock New Years Eve, where they enjoyed a happy social hour and a delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Boissevain entertained a group of young people at a midnight gathering New Years Eve. A jolly time was had by all.

Dorothy Wegener spent a few days in town visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Cassen.

Among those seen home for the weekend were— Gladys Fessenden, Esther Boissevain, Don Nelson, Harry Trollope, Mary Trollope, Georgina Koch, Gerald Colpoys, Bobby Sharp, Victor Colpoys, Annie McGregor, Alfie McGreggor, Gerald Robinson, Gwen Hunt, Mary Backs, Mary Larsen, Lloyd Cassen, Vivian Johnston and Betty McMurray.

Bobby Koch, who is stationed at the West Coast with the R. C. A. F. spent New Year's leave at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson White entertained about 12 guests at a dinner: Bridge Thursday evening to celebrate their nineteenth wedding anniversary.

Miss Phyllis Hestell underwent an appendectomy Monday in a Calgary Hospital and is progressing favorably according to latest reports.

Mr. W. S. McNeill left Tuesday night for the East where he will spend a month, visiting A. W. 2 Dorothy McNeill in Montreal, two sisters and his father in St. Paul, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Coldwell and Dick and Leonard Hill were New Year's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McNeill. The men went to Calgary to enjoy a hockey game in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Davidson were Sunday visitors in Strathmore at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Roberts.

Word has been received of the safe arrival overseas of Tommy Davidson, R. C. N. V. R.

Ted Slater has enlisted in the Canadian Army (active) and has commenced his training in Calgary.



Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gironx, of Calgary, were Strathmore visitors over the week end.

Percy Wright is in the hospital in Calgary as a result of a fall on the ice Christmas Day, when he hurt his knee.

Mrs. Percy Wright, Stanley and Herby were dinner guests of Lt. and Mrs. Ian MacKenzie on New Year's Day.

Mrs. Lennon and Lorna were Strathmore visitors over the week end.

Thor Larsen R. C. A. F. arrived Friday from Vancouver to spend New Years at home.

Captain and Mrs. Arthur Lambert returned to Calgary Monday to see Mrs. Lambert, who has returned from a visit of several months with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lambert in New Westminster.

Mrs. Annie McGregor has resigned her position with the U. G. G. in Calgary and will leave during January for Vancouver, where she will live with her sister, Mrs. C. Bowen, and seek new employment. Previous to leaving the U. G. G. Anne was the recipient of some very nice gifts of remembrance from the Staff, accompanied with the good wishes of the management.

Those entertaining New Year's Eve during the dance included Rev. and Mrs. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nicholli, Mr. and Mrs. McGregor, Lt. and Mrs. Ian MacKenzie and Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson.

Sub-Lt. and Mrs. Andrew Garrett visited at the parental home for a few days during the week, before returning to Edmonton, from where they will leave early next week for Halifax.

Bill Glendinning, who has been employed with the C. P. R. in Strathmore and district for the past sixteen years or so, left Monday to take up work in the Office in Calgary, to which point he has been transferred. Mrs. Glendinning will leave for Calgary in the near future. We wish them the best.

Miss Jane Julian left Sunday for Seattle where she will resume her classes at the University and her War work of teaching small children.

Miss Gwen Hunt and her cousin, Miss M. Moss left Sunday to continue their courses at the U. of A.

Miss Betty McMurray left by bus Sunday for her school at Alton.

Schools reopened in Strathmore Monday with the full staff of teachers present.

Mrs. Van Tighem has been confined to bed for several days a victim of flu.

Mrs. Mary Rellingier has returned to Strathmore and will assist her father in the store.

The marriage of Miss Katherine Rellingier to Joe Hill, R. C. A. F. is an event of January 19th.

Petty Officer Fred Wilkinson arrived on Monday to join his wife who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robinson for some time. Mr. Robinson is now in General Hospital suffering from kidney trouble, but is progressing favorably and should be home soon.

Skating is well under way in the Strathmore Arena and is being very much enjoyed by young and old alike.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Parry of Three Hills, Mrs. Brown and three sons of Calgary spent New Years at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Boissevain.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. McBean of New Dayton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry Sunday evening.

Mrs. Tommy Chamberlain is staying with her Mother, Mrs. Hughes, for a few days, during the latter's attack of flu.

Mrs. McGregor invited a few friends to Tea Tuesday afternoon to meet Mrs. T. J. Koch, who, with her husband, have come from Ardenode to reside in Strathmore.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Seales of Calgary announce the engagement of their younger daughter, Gladys Mary to Mr. Ian MacLachlan Arrol younger son of Rev. and Mrs. E. V. Arrol of Blithmore, the marriage to take place in Central United Church, January 28.

Mrs. H. C. Willson received word on Wednesday morning that her sister, Mrs. Malton, is a victim of the flu and has been taken to the Hospital at Abbotsford. Mrs. Willson is leaving during the week-end to be with her sister.

Lucille Fraser and Cpl. White of the R. C. A. F. of Calgary spent New Years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fraser of Standard.

Cpl. Boyden spent the New Years week-end with Mrs. Boyden and Jenny returning to Medicine Hat on Tuesday morning's train.

Strathmore friends will be interested in the transfer of Mr. Warrington from Hudson's Bay, Calgary, to the Company's store at Saskatoon. Mrs. Warrington was formerly Miss Garriott daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Garriott.

Mrs. T. S. Hughes went to Dafoe with her husband to spend the New Years holiday, returning to Strathmore Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Chamberlain and Mr. Chamberlain entertained at Dinner and Bridge New Years Day.

Following dinner, bridge was enjoyed in which Mrs. Pierson and Mrs. Van Tighem and Mr. Nicholli and Mr. Pierson won the two high scores respectively. All enjoyed a very happy evening.

Miss Dorcas Stewart of Edmonton was a Christmas guest at the Chamberlain home.

Mrs. Garrett and Mrs. Folley invited a few friends Tuesday afternoon to meet Mrs. Andrew Garrett.

Nick Chamberlain returned to Edmonton Sunday to resume his classes at the U. of A. Nick had an interesting summer on the Alaska Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. L. Berkley of Wiltshire, England, formerly of Strathmore, wish to extend greetings to their many Strathmore friends and to say that any men from this district, who are now in England, will be most welcome at their home. Countess Farm, Amesbury.



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— Purpose of Meeting —

ORGANIZATION AND SELECTION OF DELEGATES TO ATTEND
THE PROVINCIAL MEETING

In
CALGARY, JANUARY 17th. AT THE PALLISER

The United Church Board at the beginning of another year, is emphasizing the primacy of spiritual things in a Church Priority Sunday, Jan 9th.

Dr. and Mrs. Gray and two sons of Kelowna, B. C. have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gray over the holiday season.

Wednesday of last week Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Perry entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Gray, Dr. and Mrs. Gray and their sons, Clair and Leighton. A musical evening was very much enjoyed. The boys brought their piano-acordion and slide trombone and with Mr. Perry on his trombone and Mrs. Gray at the piano the hours passed all too quickly.

Mrs. Cowan and Mrs. Brownworth of Calgary were the guests of their sister Mrs. Albert Crellin during the New Year's holiday.

Gordon Crellin unfortunately had his chin cut on the rink Tuesday evening, necessitating a stitch.

Remember the Red Cross Meeting, January 10th. A large attendance requested.

A cable has been received from P. O. Jack Van Tighem announcing his safe arrival in England.

Victor Colpoys, R. C. A. F. has been transferred to Trenton, Ontario.

ARDENODE

— By H. M. A. —

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Burggren, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burggren and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Taber, all of Calgary were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeman New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Godfrey entertained at a house party New Years Day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Brook and family spent New Year's day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Sinclair of Strathmore.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ansell returned Monday to Saskatoon after spending several weeks with their parents.

Mrs. V. J. R. Hughes spent the New Year's holiday visiting with friends in Calgary.

The local bridge game was held at

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the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hilton where a delicious turkey supper was enjoyed by all the members.

Mrs. G. H. Godfrey and Warren are leaving Thursday to spend several weeks in the U. S. A. visiting friends and relatives.

School reopened Monday with Miss Mary Aroock as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Watson and family spent New Years visiting at Conrich.

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